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May 9, 1983

Mr. Ron St. John ECOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENT, INC. 223 West Jackson Blvd. Chicago, Illinois 60606

> Re: Drilling and Soil Sampling at Sauget Landfill, Sauget, Illinois

Dear Mr. St. John:

As of this date, Test Drilling Service Company has sold all of its test drilling rigs and equipment. Therefore, we will no longer be able to perform the work for the referenced project. We hope you will be understanding of our decision in these difficult economic times.

Also, we hope this will not inconvenience you in your decision of a drilling contractor. Thank you for requesting the proposal from Test Drilling Service Company. Perhaps we can be of service to you some time in the future.

With best regards,

TEST DRILLING SERVICE COMPANY

Donald L. Ramsey

President

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